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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTAIN WELDED CARBON STEEL PIPE AND TUBE PRODUCTS FROM TURKEY

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS. AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTAIN WELDED CARBON STEEL PIPE AND TUBE PRODUCTS FROM TURKEY

- 1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DID NOT RECEIVE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON CERTAIN WELDED CARBON STEEL PIPE AND TUBE PRODUCTS FROM TURKEY C-489-502) FOR THE PERIODS JANUARY 1, 1987 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1987, JANUARY 1, 1988 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1988, JANUARY 1, 1989 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1989 AND JANUARY 1, 1990 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1990.
- 2. THE MERCHANDISE COVERED BY THESE INSTRUCTIONS IS WELDED Message Date: 08/05/1992 Message Number: 2218115 Page 2 of 5

CARBON STEEL PIPE AND TUBE, WITH AN OUTSIDE DIAMETER OF 0.375 INCH OR MORE, BUT NOT OVER 16 INCHES, OF ANY WALL THICKNESS. THE MERCHANDISE WAS PREVIOUSLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER THE FOLLOWING ITEMS OF THE TARIFF SCHEDULES OF THE UNITED STATES ANNOTATED (TSUSA): 610.3208, 610.3209, 610.3231, 610.3234, 610.3241, 610.3242, 610.3243, 610.3252, 610.3254, 610.3256, 610.3258 AND 620.4925. TSUSA ITEMS 610.3208 AND 610.3209 ARE COMMONLY REFERRED TO BY THE INDUSTRY AS LINE PIPE MEETING AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE (API) SPECIFICATIONS FOR 5L. TSUSA ITEMS 610.3231, 610.3234, 610.3242, 610.3243, 610.3252, 610.3254, 610.3256, 610.3258 AND 620.4925 ARE COMMONLY REFERRED TO BY THE INDUSTRY AS STANDARD PIPE OR TUBE OR STRUCTURAL TUBING. STANDARD PIPE OR TUBE IS PRODUCED TO VARIOUS AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING MATERIALS (ASTM) SPECIFICATIONS, MOST NOTABLY A-53, A-120 OR A-135. STRUCTRUAL TUBING IS PRODUCED TO VARIOUS SPECIFICATIONS MOST NOTABLY ASTM SPECIFICATIONS A-500 AND A-501. THE MERCHANDISE IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER ITEMS NUMBERS 7306.10.10, 7306.30.10. AND 7306.30.50 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE.

- 3. THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WTIH SECTION 355.22(G) OF THE COMMERCE REGULATIONS, YOU ARE TO ASSESS COUNTERVAILING DUTIES AT RATES EQUAL TO THE CASH DEPOSIT OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ENTRY ON MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 1987 AND ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 1990.
- 4. THE RATES OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES WHICH WERE REQUIRED TO BE DEPOSITED ARE:

MANUFACTURER ID NUMBER PERIOD AD VALOREM
RATE

ALL FIRMS C-489-502 1/1/87-03/24/88 17.80 PERCENT

ERKBORU C-489-502-001 3/25/88-12/31/90 ZERO

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- 5. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ORDERED FOR THE MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 1987 AND ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 1990 IS LIFTED. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR ALL SHIPMENTS OF THE MERCHANDISE LISTED ABOVE EXPORTED AFTER DECEMBER 31, 1991 WILL CONTINUE. LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 1991 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1991 WERE SUBMITTED ON 5/7/92 (#2128113).
- 6. THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT REQUIRE THAT INTEREST BE PAID ON OVERPAYMENTS OR UNDERPAYMENTS OF AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE AT THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD. THE INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED AT THAT RATE FROM THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH OR BY E-MAIL TO ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT THE OFFICE OF COUNTERVAILING COMPLIANCE, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (202) 377-2786.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTION ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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